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For: ELECTROMAGNETIC LOCK PROVIDED WITH A SLIDING BOLT FOR

A SWINGING-TYPE DOOR

SECOND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.112

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated December 30, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

The instant response is being filed by the three-month shortened statutory period of March 30, 2010. No extensions of time are believed necessary at this time. If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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